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## Ebey's Landing News Release

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## National Park Service seeks proposals for farm lands in Ebey's Landing

COUPEVILLE, Wash. - Ebey's Landing National Historical Reserve has issued a request for proposals (RFP) for award of up to three agricultural leases within the Reserve, which include 222 acres of cropland and 131,000 square feet of facilities from a former dairy. These leases will continue a long history of farming on central Whidbey Island. Each lease opportunity varies in size and scale.

The NPS issued the RFP on July 2, 2019 under the terms described in the RFP, with proposals due no later than 4:00 p.m. (Pacific Time) on September 26, 2019. Proposals must be received by the Pacific West Regional Office, Attn: Commercial Services Manager, 333 Bush Street, Suite 500, San Francisco, CA 94104, by the deadline in order to be evaluated and considered for award of a lease. Offerors are welcome to submit proposals on up to all three lease opportunities.

The NPS will hold a one-day site visit at the Reserve on July 16, 2019.

The RFP is available on the Federal Business Opportunities website at <a href="https://www.fbo.gov/">https://www.fbo.gov/</a>. There is no cost to download the documents from this website. If you choose to retrieve a copy of the RFP please notify Sue Eibeck via email at <a href="mailto:sue\_eibeck@nps.gov">sue\_eibeck@nps.gov</a> so you are placed on the mailing list to receive notifications of any future modifications or other correspondence.

Any questions regarding the lease opportunities at Ebey's Landing National Historical Reserve must be received in writing no later than 4:00 p.m. (Pacific Time) on July 23, 2019 to Sue Eibeck, Commercial Services Specialist, National Park Service, Pacific West Regional Office, at the above address or email.

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